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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title Page, item (56) References Cited Column 2, "Other Publications," Line 14,
"Bioechnology Letters," should be changed to --Biotechnology Letters,--

Column 3, Line 14, "pH about about 4.5," should be changed to --pH about 4.5,--

Column 3, Line 43, "in a beffer of" should be changed to --in a buffer of--

Column 7, Line 12, "the sole caboun source" should be changed to --the sole carbon
source--

Column 7, Line 13, "for al least 95%," should be changed to --for at least 95%,--

Column 7, Line 39, "*lactis, K wickerhami*" should be changed to --*lactis, K.*
wickerhamii,--

Column 12, Line 33, "capable of fermeneting" should be changed to --capable of
fermenting--

Column 16, Line 11, "AVICELTTM" should be changed to --AVICEL®--

Column 16, Line 12, "SIGMACELLTTM" should be changed to --SIGMACELL®--

Column 16, Line 62, "AVICELTTM" should be changed to --AVICEL®--

Column 16, Line 63, "SIGMACELLTTM" should be changed to --SIGMACELL®--

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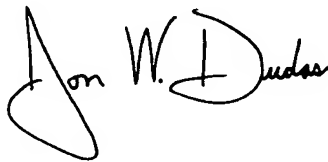
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Column 21, Line 44, "carboxymethylcellulose derivative," should be changed to
--carboxymethylcellulose,--

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized, with a large, looped initial "J" and a distinct "D" at the end.

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